

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS**

Children's Health Defense, et al.	§	
<i>Plaintiff</i>	§	
	§	
	§	
v.	§	Case No. <u>2:23-cv-0004-Z</u>
	§	
	§	
The Washington Post Co., et al.	§	
<i>Defendant</i>	§	

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***  
(Complete all questions; indicate "N/A" if necessary.)

**I.** Applicant is an attorney and a member of the law firm of (or practices under the name of)

Ballard Spahr, with offices at

1909 K Street, NW, 12th Floor

(Street Address)

Washington

(City)

DC

(State)

20006-1157

(Zip Code)

202-661-2200

(Telephone No.)

202-661-2299

(Fax No.)

**II.** Applicant will sign all filings with the name Jay Ward Brown.

**III.** Applicant has been retained personally or as a member of the above-named firm by:

(List All Parties Represented)

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to provide legal representation in connection with the above-styled matter now pending before the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas.

IV. Applicant is a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the state of \_\_\_\_\_  
Virginia, where Applicant regularly practices law.

Bar license number: 34355 Admission date: 1992

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Bar Status Verified:

**Attach to this application an original certificate of good standing issued within the past 90 days from the attorney licensing authority in a state in which you are admitted to practice (e.g., State Bar of Texas).**

V. Applicant has also been admitted to practice before the following courts:

Court:	Admission Date:	Active or Inactive:
See Attached List		

VI. Applicant has never involuntarily lost, temporarily or permanently, the right to practice before any court or tribunal, or resigned in lieu of discipline, except as provided below:

N/A

VII. Applicant has never been subject to grievance proceedings or involuntary removal proceedings—regardless of outcome—while a member of the bar of any state or federal court or tribunal that requires admission to practice, except as provided below:

N/A

VIII. Applicant has not been charged, arrested, or convicted of a criminal offense or offenses, except as provided below (omit minor traffic offenses):

N/A

**IX.** Applicant has filed for *pro hac vice* admission in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas during the past three (3) years in the following matters:

Date of Application:

Case No. And Style:

N/A

N/A

(If necessary, attach statement of additional applications.)

**X.** Local counsel of record associated with Applicant in this matter is

Timothy C. Williams, who has offices at

701 S. Taylor Street, Suite 500

(Street Address)

Amarillo

(City)

Texas

(State)

79101

(Zip Code)

(806) 468-3300

(Telephone No.)

(806) 373-3454

(Facsimile No.)

**XI.** Check the appropriate box below.

For Application in a **Civil Case**



Applicant has read *Dondi Properties Corp. v. Commerce Savs. & Loan Ass'n*, 121 F.R.D.284 (N.D. Tex. 1988) (en banc), and the local civil rules of this court and will comply with the standards of practice adopted in *Dondi* and with the local civil rules.

For Application in a **Criminal Case**



Applicant has read and will comply with the local criminal rules of this court.

**XII.** Applicant respectfully requests to be admitted to practice in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas for this cause only. Applicant certifies that a true and correct copy of this document has been served upon each attorney of record and the original upon the clerk of court, accompanied by a \$100 filing fee, on this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of March, 2023.

Jay Ward Brown

Printed Name of Applicant

Jay Ward Brown

Signature

Attachment to Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice for Jay Ward Brown

U.S. Court & Date of Admission:

Virginia – 1992

District of Columbia – 1993

Maryland – 2003

New York – 2003

U.S. Supreme Court – 1998

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit – 2012

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit – 2016

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit – 1992

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit – 2018

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit – 1999

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit – 1997

U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia – 1993

District Court for the District of Columbia – 1993

District Court for the District of Maryland – 2001

District Court for the Eastern District of New York – 2006

District Court for the Southern District of New York – 2003

District Court for the Northern District of New York – 2015

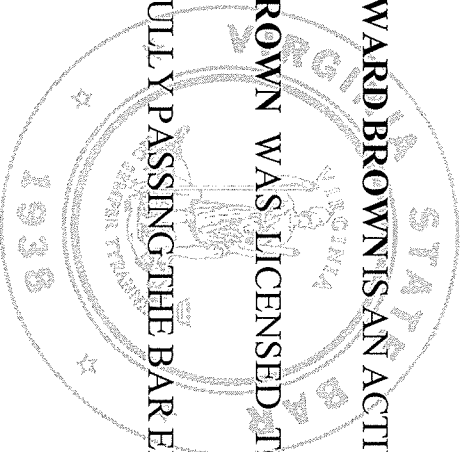
District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia – 1993

District Court for the Western District of Virginia – 1996

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## CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT JAY WARD BROWN IS AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE VIRGINIA STATE BAR IN GOOD STANDING. MR. BROWN WAS LICENSED TO PRACTICE LAW IN VIRGINIA ON OCTOBER 1, 1992, AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PASSING THE BAR EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS.



Issued March 1, 2023

*DaVida M. Davis*  
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Director of Regulatory Compliance